

## CITY NEWS

St. Paul's Church Sunday school picnic and bonfire will occur this week Saturday, going to Fick's Landing, Isle La Peste, on the Thundersboro.

Edward J. Corne of Underhill and Mrs. Winnie McCallahan of Hinesburg were married by the Rev. C. C. Adams at the First Church parsonage yesterday afternoon.

The trustees of the Burlington Savings Bank have voted to pay depositors the usual dividend at the rate of four per cent per annum for the six months ending June 30.

The civil suit of E. H. McCale against the W. Shelton Swallow company was filed Friday with the clerk of city court. The case is one of contract, involving \$200.

Mrs. Nina L. Cushman announced the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. M. to Charles H. Nisley of Ellsworth, Me. The wedding will take place in July at Rochester, N. Y.

A contract case involving \$500 was filed by the Vermont Fruit company of this city against the Burlington Produce company of Rutland at the office of the clerk of county court Tuesday.

The divorce suit of Mary A. Foley of this city against Frank J. Foley was filed at the office of the clerk of county court Tuesday. The charges are adultery and intolerable severity.

Miss Alice Wright, daughter of the late John S. Wright of this city, has secured the position as secretary of the Girls' club work of the Y. W. C. A. of Brookfield, eastern district, New York.

John C. Farrar, who made a reputation as a poet while a student in the Burlington high school, has won a \$50 prize for poetry at Yale University. He also has a much coveted part in the Yale play.

Howard W. Plant, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Plant of 20 Front street, has resigned his position as clerk at F. D. Abernethy's store and passed examinations held at Albany for entrance to the naval school at Newport News.

In probate court Friday the will of Broadbent R. Martin of this city, was proved. Mary M. Martin was appointed administratrix, with J. J. Quinlan of Charlotte and S. E. Noonan of Ferrisburgh commissioners and appraisers.

Behind Hays of New York city has joined the staff of the Free Press. Mr. Hays was formerly with the Brooklyn Daily Eagle, Albany Times-Union and other papers for several years. He was graduated recently from the Columbia School of Journalism in New York.

Willis E. Monty of Burlington was last week graduated with the degree of bachelor of laws from the law school of George Washington University, Washington, D. C. Mr. Monty has been secretary to Representative Greene for two years and a half, and will continue in that capacity for a time.

Word has been received in this city of the death at Madison, N. J., of Mrs. Homer Eaton, wife of a former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Burlington. Mrs. Eaton was much beloved by the church people and was the founder of the Young Woman's Missionary society, which was organized in 1885.

The annual meeting of the alumni association of the Training School for Nurses at the Mary Fletcher hospital was held yesterday afternoon at the hospital. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. O. Ferguson; vice-president, Eula Douglas; treasurer, Mrs. Edward Reeves; secretary, Elsie Pease.

June 21 was announced Sunday as the date for the annual excursion and picnic of the First Church, the College Street Church and the Unitarian Church. It will be a union affair, the same as last year, and Basin Harbor will be the rendezvous. There those who prefer will get off the boat, while the rest of the crowd continues the sail.

An evening of Greek dances will be given on the lawn of the Unitarian Church June 28, for the benefit of the Neighborhood House, under the auspices of the Junior Alliance of the church. Miss Marion Altman is in charge of the dances and Romeo's orchestra will provide the music. About 20 children and young ladies will take part.

The following officers were elected at the semi-annual meeting of Masons' Union, No. 4, of Vermont, held last evening at their hall on Church street: President, E. R. Coon; vice-president, Peter Chastaney; corresponding secretary, Peter Ritchie; financial secretary and treasurer, Charles Sparrow; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph Lamair.

The commencement exercises of the pupils of the graduating class of the Junior high school will be held at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning at the high school building. The exercises will consist of recitations, songs and piano selections by the students. Certificates will be presented to the members of the class by Superintendent of Schools M. D. Chittenden.

The marriage of Walter Joseph Bizio of Millers Falls, Mass., and Miss Cecelia Froese of Intervale avenue was celebrated Tuesday morning at eight o'clock at St. Mary's Cathedral, the Rev. W. H. Chittenden performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bizio left for a wedding trip, after which they will live at Millers Falls, where Mr. Bizio is engaged in farm work.

In probate court Tuesday license was granted to sell real estate in the estate of David Gilmore, late of Burlington. Fred W. Hall of Essex was appointed administrator of the estate of Mary M. Booth, late of Essex, with Clark W. Taler and Samuel Keeler of Essex commissioners and appraisers. The will of George W. Irish, late of Underhill, was proved.

Jacob Vett and Miss Minnie Rosenbaum, sister of Mrs. S. Schneider, of New York, will be married Sunday evening at six o'clock by Rabbi Popkin at the synagogue. The ushers and bridesmaids will consist of friends of the young people. A reception and supper will follow at the Hebrew Free school. Mr. and Mrs. Vett will make their home on Intervale avenue.

P. B. Howe has returned from Detroit, Mich., where he attended the sale of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America at the Michigan State fair grounds. The first highest head averaged \$1,135 each. The highest price paid was by an Ohio man who gave up \$20,000 for a seven-month-old bull, King Champion Rag Apple. A yearling bull brought \$6,000, and so on down the list.

Colonel Ira L. Reeves, president of Norwich Union, will give an address before the members of the Merchants' association following their dinner to be served at the Van Ness House at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening. Colonel Reeves, who commands the Vermont National Guard, will speak on the new federalization of militia, with special reference to the local company.

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## ENRICH THE BLOOD

Hood's Sarsaparilla, a Spring Tonic-Medicine, is Necessary.

Everybody is troubled at this season with loss of vitality, failure of appetite, that tired feeling, or with bilious turns, dull headaches, indigestion and other troubles, or with pimples and other eruptions on the face and body. The reason is that the blood is impure and impoverished.

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Edmund J. Mosley, late of Colchester, was proved. Nellie H. Mosley of Colchester was appointed administratrix and Bert E. Severance and W. H. Munson, commissioners and appraisers. George H. Lessor of this city was appointed administrator cum testamento annexo of the estate of John Lessor, late of Burlington, with E. B. Taft and Louis Pine commissioners.

In probate court Thursday there were settlements and decrees in the estates of Herman W. Allen, late of Burlington, William O. Beaman, late of Milton, and Florence E. Mayo, late of Milton. Charles McGovern of Richmond was appointed administrator of the will of John McGovern, late of Richmond, with Salmon Green and John Culligan of Richmond commissioners and appraisers. Licenses were granted to sell real estate in the estates of Frederick Desautels, late of Winoski, and Emily E. Martin, late of Burlington.

Burlington Council, United Commercial Travelers, are making preparations for a boat ride and basket picnic on Saturday, July 1. The knights of the grip with their families, and their friends and families will board the steamer Chateaugay at 9:30 o'clock for the sail around the beautiful island, landing at Isle La Motte for lunch. There will be athletic events during the afternoon and possibly a ball game, and all who went on the last boat ride of the traveling men know that a good time is in store for those who attend this year.

P. H. McCale of Malletts Bay was arraigned in city court Monday on the charge of breach of the peace. He was arrested on a State's attorney's warrant, it being claimed that he assaulted H. W. Cole and S. Thomas on Sunday by shooting at them. As the story goes, the two men went fishing in the vicinity of Mr. McCale's farm and were on or near his property when he ordered them off. They claim that when they did not go he shot at them with a gun. Mr. McCale claims that he did not shoot at them. The case was continued.

William Myers, a young man who was arrested by the police department Monday afternoon, charged with obtaining money on false pretenses, was arraigned in city court Tuesday morning and was found guilty on the charge. When asked to plead he pleaded not guilty, but the prosecutor, Grand Juror Clarence R. White, put witnesses on the stand and after a hearing the court found him guilty. On account of his youth, Myers was let off with a light sentence as possible, being fined the minimum fine for the offense, \$10 and costs. The sentence was to fine was suspended and he paid the costs of \$9.85.

Henry Francis, while at work at the water plant at the lake front Saturday afternoon, broke his left leg when he fell from the coal trestle. Mr. Francis was assisting in the work of unloading a large load of coal by dumping the large load while standing on the trestle. He lost his balance and fell to the ground, a distance of about 20 feet. Dr. J. L. Maynard was summoned and when Francis was examined it was found that his left leg was broken between the knee and hip. The police ambulance was called and Mr. Francis was taken to the Mary Fletcher hospital where Dr. Maynard reduced the fracture.

George L. Cross fell from a roof while he was tarring early Monday afternoon to the roof of a shed about 20 feet below and escaped without serious injury. The man was at work on the roof of a building in the rear of 35 North Winoski avenue, when he lost his balance. The shed roof upon which he struck fell on his back probably saved him. He was unconscious for a few moments and the police ambulance was summoned. A drink of water revived him and the only injury which could be found was a slight scratch on the forehead. He walked to his home nearby.

The marriage of Miss Carrie M. Sweetland of this city and Dr. Charles H. Swift of Rutland took place quietly Tuesday morning at ten o'clock at St. Paul's chapel in the presence of a small gathering of relatives and friends. Bride and groom were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Swift left at noon for an automobile trip of two weeks. They will live at 31 West street, Rutland, where Dr. Swift is practicing. He is a graduate of the Medical College of the University of Vermont in 1913, and afterwards served at internate at the Mary Fletcher hospital. The bride is a graduate of the high school and for two years, after a year in Boston, has taught in the H. O. Wheeler school.

The closing events at St. Mary Academy will open with the grade exercises Friday afternoon. Sunday evening the reception into the apostleship of study will take place. Monday the graduating class will take a boat ride to Port Thundersboro. Tuesday afternoon there will be an outdoor meet in the pine grove between the academy classes and a team of the Cathedral school. Tuesday evening is class night. Wednesday evening Mrs. Reeves will give a reception to the girls' class at her home on South Willard. Thursday evening afternoon there will be a Shakespearian entertainment. Thursday evening the alumni will hold their annual banquet at the Hotel Vermont.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Irish on North avenue was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday evening when their only daughter, Ellen Anna, was united in marriage to Joel Wakefield Linsley. The Rev. G. W. Vawteroff officiated. The bride was dressed in white and carried a shower bouquet of pink roses. Miss Mary Hoffrichter was the bridesmaid and Clayton Tyler the best man. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Frederick Warner, Mrs. Emil Kiesel, Miss Hoffrichter and Miss Irene Warner. Alfred O'Brien of Shelburne Farms, uncle of the bride, gave several solos. The groom is an employee of the Burlington Traction company. Mr. and Mrs. Linsley will live at 320 North avenue.

An appeal from justice of the peace court in the case of the E. B. Clarkson

company of this city against Norman D. Wiley of Orleans was heard in city court yesterday afternoon. The case was tried on December 22, 1915, before Justice of the Peace H. S. Howland, who ordered the defendant to pay over \$22.63 and costs of \$15.33. The appeal was taken to Burlington city court, hearing being held yesterday afternoon. C. J. Ferguson and G. B. Horton represented the plaintiff and Colby Stoddard of Orleans represented the defendant. After hearing the court reversed the decision of the justice court and gave the defendant judgment against the plaintiff to recover \$27.61 costs.

Frank D. Abernethy purchased Tuesday from Mrs. Anna J. Ballard, formerly of this city, but now resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., the premises at 25 South Willard street, which have been the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wells for a number of years. The consideration was not made public. The plot of ground on which the handsome residence is situated covers nearly 100 feet. Some alterations under the direction of Frank L. Austin have been completed. Mr. Abernethy will move to his new home with his mother, Mrs. Mary L. Abernethy, and his brother, Dr. Julian W. Abernethy. Mr. and Mrs. Wells are preparing to move to their new home on the east side of South Willard street, a short distance further south.

The case of H. F. Jarvis against the Military Post Street Railway company was filed at the office of the clerk of county court Monday. The suit papers name \$1,500. The case grows out of a collision on November 7, 1915, when an automobile owned by the plaintiff and one of the electric cars of the Railway company came together at the corner of East Street and East Allen streets in Winoski. The plaintiff claims that the electric car was not supplied with proper brakes and appliances by which it could be stopped, that it was operated carelessly and negligently and that the operator failed to sound signals when approaching the automobile of the defendant. The plaintiff asks for \$50 damages and costs. The case of the Vermont Fruit company of this city against the Burlington Produce company of Rutland, was also filed.

The annual meeting of the Winoski Association of Congregational Ministers was held Monday at the parish house of the Congregational Church at Essex Junction, where the members of the association were the guests of the Rev. E. O. Foster, the pastor, and the congregation of that church. Mr. Foster was elected moderator and the Rev. C. E. Hayward of Winoski, secretary and treasurer for the coming year. The Rev. S. G. Barnes of Burlington presided during the sessions, at which no formal papers were read, the entire meeting being occupied with an open discussion of the tercentennial program of the Congregational Church of the United States.

There will be no meetings of the association during the summer months, the date of the next one being October 2.

**REGULATIONS REVISED**  
**Reduction in Number of Prepaid Pieces of Mail Matter.**  
Local advertising agents, business men and others will be interested in the following portion of an order issued recently by the postoffice department: "Under such regulations as the postmaster-general may establish for the collection of the lawful revenue and for facilitating the handling of such matter in the mails, he shall be lawful to accept for collection in the mails, without postage stamps affixed, quantities of not less than 200 identical pieces of third-class matter and of second-class matter (the old minimum was 2,000 identical pieces), and 200 identical pieces of fourth-class matter, and packages of money and securities mailed under postage at the first or fourth class rate by the postmaster-general. Provided that postage shall be fully prepaid thereon at the rate required by law for a single piece of such matter." The order goes on and says that "Each mailing of second or third class matter shall contain not less than 200 identical pieces of fourth-class matter not less than 200 identical pieces and must be accompanied with a statement signed by the sender." This statement must show the nature and quantity of the contents.

## TWO CHURCH WEDDINGS.

W. E. Plant and Miss Rose Anna Barney married yesterday.

William Eugene Plant and Rose Anna Barney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barney of 31 Main street, were married at St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning by the Rev. Father Billon. The fathers of the young people led them to the altar and gave them in marriage. Miss Emma Martin was bridesmaid and Frank Vass and George E. Martin and Rev. Land Carter acted as ushers. St. Joseph's choir, under the direction of J. E. Beaupre, sang.

The bride was prettily gowned in a traveling suit of blue, with a large black picture hat, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid's gown was also of blue and she carried a bouquet of pink roses. Many fine wedding gifts were received.

A wedding breakfast at the bride's home for friends and relatives followed the ceremony. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Plant will make their home at corner of North and Champlain streets.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gayer and daughter and Miss Ruth Sautell and Roger Sautell of Montpelier and Mrs. David Fello of Keeseville, N. Y., were among the guests present.

Mr. Plant is popular in the vicinity of the city where he lives, 172 North Champlain street. Both people have been employed in town for some time past. Last night the parents of the young couple gave them a reception at Moose hall on Main street.

**DRAGON-GRAVEL.**  
The Rt. Rev. J. M. Chasore officiated at St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning at the wedding of Gilbert Dragonson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dragonson of Marble avenue, and Miss Eva Gravel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gravel of 12 St. Louis street. The fathers of the young people attended them and George Gravel, brother of the bride, and Cyril Verret were the altar boys.

The bride was gowned in a blue traveling suit and wore a large picture hat and a corsage bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. A wedding reception followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Dragonson received many beautiful gifts from their friends, including cut glass, silver, linen and money. They departed at noon for Albany and New York on a wedding trip. They will make their home on Marble avenue.

**WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.**  
Stannard Woman's Relief Corps had a quiet celebration at Stannard Memorial hall, consisting mostly of exercises by the "kiddies," followed by addresses by Commander John W. Boutwell and Department Commander George R. Martin.

The little one's big event was a drill by the Cathedral school children in which the following took part: Lyell McIntosh, Francis Gaine, Lyman Durfee, Andrew McLane, Mark Pell, Edward Kiley, John Stannard, Hugh O'Brien, Frederic O'Brien, Leo McGreevy, Clement Huard, Francis Rowe, Francis Johnson and others.

## CITY OBSERVES FLAG DAY

Five Celebrations of Event in Town Last Night.

Governor Plends at Yacht Club for Preparedness—Elks, Relief Corps, Ladies of G. A. R. and W. C. T. U. Also Celebrate.

There were enough Flag day celebrations in Burlington yesterday to satisfy every variety of taste. The biggest event was the flag day celebration at the Yacht club, where Governor Charles W. Gates of Franklin, Mayor Albert S. Drew, Adj.-Gen. Lee S. Titilston of St. Albans and General Theodore S. Peck gave appropriate and inspiring speeches. The trend of the Governor's remarks might have been taken from Kipling's "Recessional." He urged his hearers to remember the folly of leaning upon material possessions only, and made a strong plea for preparedness. Mayor Drew expressed his pleasure at greeting the enthusiastic audience before him.

A celebration scarcely second in interest was held at the club rooms of Burlington Lodge, No. 516, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Other exercises took place under the auspices of James A. Garfield Circle, No. 4, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Stannard Woman's Relief Corps, No. 86, and the flower mission of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, assisted by the Loyal Temperance Union.

**YACHT CLUB CELEBRATION.**  
A large audience attended the exercises at the Lake Champlain Yacht club house, where interesting addresses were delivered by Gov. Charles W. Gates of Franklin, Mayor Albert S. Drew of Burlington, Adj.-Gen. Lee S. Titilston of St. Albans and Gen. Theodore S. Peck of Burlington. The vocal solos of Miss Anne M. Thoburn and Thomas H. Waterman were unusually pleasing, and exceptionally the recitations were given by Miss O'Sullivan and George Agel.

The exercises were preceded by a short concert by Daley's orchestra which also furnished music for the dancing, which concluded the evening's entertainment. Arthur G. Mansur of the board of government of the Yacht club presided during the evening and introduced the speakers.

The exercises were opened by the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the audience, after which Mr. Mansur introduced Mayor Drew. In a few well chosen words, Mayor Drew expressed his pleasure at addressing the gathering and spoke briefly concerning the significance of the United States flag and what it should mean to all patriotic citizens. Following the mayor's remarks, Thomas H. Waterman sang "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," the piano accompaniment being played by Miss Hazel Morgan. The presiding officer next introduced Gen. Theodore S. Peck of this city, who delivered an exceptionally interesting and eloquent address on "The History of the Flag."

The first flag, said General Peck, was made in Philadelphia by Miss Betsey Ross, under the direction of General Washington, and was adopted by Congress as the national emblem on June 14, 1777. It first floated over an American fortress on August 5, 1777, when it was placed above Fort Mifflin near the site of the city of Rome, N. Y., and was first carried by the American troops in the battle at Brandywine, September 11, 1777. It floated first above a captured possession on June 28, 1778, when Fort Mifflin was captured by Captain Rathbone. General Peck then related a number of interesting incidents reminding us of his Civil War days, when he served first in General Stannard's infantry regiment and later in Major-General William Wells' brigade of Vermont cavalry and ended by making a forceful plea for all American citizens to remember what the flag cost and what it meant and to be prepared to defend it at all times.

No State, said Adjutant-General Lee S. Titilston of St. Albans, who spoke on "Our National Guard and Preparedness," is more peaceful than Vermont, yet none is more ready to respond to a call to defend our nation's flag. He paid a glowing tribute to the Vermont soldiers of earlier days and said that his greater ambition was to defer the flag on the emblem of battle. General Titilston then told briefly of the work of the national guard which is usually but scantily understood and still less appreciated. He told how the Vermont National Guard means loss of hard work for officers and men, that has always had a stronger appeal than that called for by previous wars. In speaking of the new law under which the strength of the national guard may be increased to nearly four times its present number, General Titilston said that if such an increase could be secured anywhere it would be in Vermont where young men have a background of such glorious traditions to build upon. He closed by exhorting his listeners to aid in the work of preparedness by having their own children learn something of military life.

Following the singing of two verses of America by Miss Agnes Donley and the reading of a patriotic recitation, "Americanism," by George Agel, Governor Charles W. Gates delivered the final address of the evening, in which he warned against the dangers of depending too greatly on financial prosperity and losing sight of the battles which had to be won before that prosperity could be secured. The lessons taught by the courage, patriotism and statesmanship of the noble women and men of the early days of Vermont must not be forgotten now. While we do wish to prepare for war we must prepare for our duties as American citizens and as such be ready to defend our flag and country.

Governor Gates then dwelt upon what the flag meant both as our national emblem and also as a symbol of the purest democracy in the world to-day, and urged all to guard against remembrance in showing deserved honor to the flag and to keep its folds unsullied.

After a pleasing recitation, "My Flag," by Miss O'Sullivan, the exercises were concluded by the singing of "America and Auld Lang Syne" by the audience.

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The program comprised the following: Piano solo, Ruth Cronie; reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg address, Emory Mower; violin solo, Madeline Scully, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. W. V. Scully; recitation, "The Old Glory," Harriet Woodruff; piano solo, Ruth Morgan; recitation, "Hats Off When the Flag Goes By," Laura Bliss; flag drill by Cathedral school children; reading on the flag, Miss Theodora Peck.

Mrs. Lillie C. Phelps, president of the corps, took charge of the exercises in the absence of the patriotic instructor, Mrs. Anna Baker. Several members of the G. A. R. attended.

**LADIES OF THE G. A. R.**  
A large and enthusiastic audience attended the Flag day exercises held by the members of the James A. Garfield Circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, last evening in their hall on Church street. The program which consisted of recitations and songs by school children was rendered in a way which reflected great credit on the participants as well as on Mrs. Josephine Griffin, patriotic instructor of the circle, who had charge of the entertainment. Refreshments were served at the close of the program which was as follows:

Song, "Wrap Me in the Old Flag," Bortha Ravlin

The Pledge to the Flag, Mary Davis, Cleo Latourna, Madeline Dudley.

The Flag, Beatrice Upham

The Bonnie Flag, Anna Smith

Song, "The June Song," Arthur Soudland

The Old Flag Forever, Doris Towne

The Free Land and the Free Flag, Raymond Towne

Recitations, Margaret Towne and John Smith

Duet, Misses Patchaud and Ladage

The Flag Unchanged, Alice Smith

Song, "Little Soldiers Are We,"

Masters Ploof and Smith

Red and White and Blue, John Ploof

Recitation, Arthur Patchaud

Flag Above the School House Door, Bessie Wright

Mending the Old Flag, Jessie Ravlin

Do Something, Mona Clark

The School House Flag, Arthur Shortleaves

Cause Off Boys, Bertha Ravlin

Song, "The End of a Perfect Day,"

"The Star Spangled Banner," Audience

**CELEBRATION BY THE ELKS.**

The Flag day celebration at the Elks' club house was attended by a couple of score of members of the order, most of the members of the G. A. R. and various guests. The vets arrived just before 8:30, coming from the celebration at Stannard Memorial hall.

There was a concert in the parlors of the club house by Daley's orchestra, and then a "service" in the lodge room. The latter ceremony followed a form observed once or twice before, arranged July 15, 1907, at the 43rd annual session of the grand lodge of Elks in the United States, held in Philadelphia. "On June 14, 1777," says the Elks, "Congress declared the national flag to be 13 stripes, seven red and six white, with 13 stars in a blue field." This was the first official flag of the nation as we think of it to-day.

The history of the flag was read from the official booklet of the order by Judge H. S. Peck; George S. Johnson, past exalted ruler of Boston lodge, gave an eloquent tribute to the flag; and Col. John H. Minnis delivered the address of the evening. The country, said Mr. Johnson, stood for "liberty through laws and laws for liberty." Colonel Minnis said there were three days in which the country remembered the ideals of liberty, July 4, Flag day and Memorial day. But of the speakers indicated the significance of what the flag's colors stood for and its relation to the ideals of the Elks.

Those in the chairs were Exalted Ruler Frank P. Robinson, Esteemed Leading Knight Joseph T. Stearns, Esteemed Loyal Knight Lawrence Bartley and Esteemed Lecturing Knight C. A. Barber. The work seemed to be especially interesting to the veterans present.

**ENTERTAINMENT AT TEMPLE.**  
The flower mission department of the W. C. T. U., assisted by the L. T. L., gave a very interesting entertainment at the temple last evening. The temple was beautifully decorated with flowers and flags in observance of Flag day.

**CATHEDRAL SCHOOL.**  
Graduating Exercises at St. Mary's Hall Tomorrow Evening.

The graduating exercises of the Cathedral school will be held at St. Mary's hall next Friday evening at eight o'clock, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Joseph J. Rice presiding. The program follows:

Chorus, "Greeting Waltz," Macy

Declaration, The American People, Howard Black

Piano solo, "Murmuring Zephyrs," Gladys Dunn

Recitation, Absalom, Gertrude Radlike

Violon Obligato, "Souvenir" (violin), Regina Raymond, Constance O'Connor at the piano.

Valuedictory, Catherine Cartier

Class song

Declaration of diplomas

Awarding of prizes

Address to graduates

Rt. Rev. Joseph J. Rice, D. D.

The class of 1915 comprises:

Joseph Amer, Howard Black, Catherine Cartier, Bortha Clough, Florence Cronin, Howard Delaney, Gladys Dunn, Charles Flynn, Catherine Garvey, Colette Kennedy, Frank Lafayette, Edward Martin, Arthur McGretick, Philip McGreevy, Anna Morrill, Paulita Murphy, Frederick O'Brien, James O'Sullivan, Frederick Powers, Dorothy Provost, Gertrude Radlike, Frances Ready, Hazel Ryan, Lucetta Tupper, Herbert Tupper, Loretta Valon, Leonard Walsh, Mary Whalen, John White, Mary Wilson.

The ushers will be: Viola Houde, Irene Kiley, Mary McElroy, Alice McKenzie, Margaret O'Neil, Fred Connors, Roy Corley, Tim Daley, Michael Don, Harold Gleason, Joseph McCarty.

**HOME WEDDING.**  
Miss Hazel Gates married to H. J. Patridge of Minneapolis.

In the presence of a small company of relatives, Miss Hazel Merritt Gates, daughter of Mrs. Martha M. Gates of this city, was married last evening to Hanson James Patridge of Minneapolis, Minn.

The ceremony was performed at the bride's home, 20 Pearl street, by the Rev. C. J. Staples, pastor of the Unitarian Church, the bride being given in marriage by her twin brother, Harold J. Gates of Louisville, Ky. The best man was A. C. Dockett of Minneapolis, and the maid of honor was Mrs. H. J. Gates. The house was profusely decorated with pink roses and peonies, the ceremony taking place in front of a bank of palms. The bride was gowned in white satin and wore a large corsage bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The groom wore a white tuxedo, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and forget-me-nots.

## The Old Bee Hibe

June 15

The Gloria Gage Hat for Goly, Tennis, Motoring, Boating or Any Out-of-Door Sport

A very stylish all-around hat made with a soft straw crown and soft white felt brim with a tilt that makes it especially attractive and smart.

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